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SUBJECT: US CUSTOMS PROCEDURE FOR EC CHEESES

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1. AS PER REFFASTO, WE ADVISED DE JONG IN THE COMMISSION DAIRY SECTION THAT US CUSTOMS WOULD NOT HINDER IMPORTS OF EC CHEESES WHICH ARE NOT ASSIGNED EC EXPORT SUBSIDY CODE NUMBERS. DE JONG HOPED THIS WOULD BE THE END OF THE PROBLEM.

2. HE SAID THAT EC EXPORTERS HAD ALSO EXPRESSED CONCERNED ABOUT THE USE OF CODE NUMBERS FOR CAMEMBERT, BRIE AND LIMBURGER CHEESES BECAUSE THE MAY 19TH ISSUE OF THE FEDERAL REGISTER (VOL. 40, NO. 97, PP. 21719-21720) FOOTNOTES THESE CHEESES AS FALLING UNDER EC CODE NUMBERS 5120-86 AND 5120-91. DE JONG SAID THAT THESE CHEESES ARE NOT SO CLASSIFIED BY THE COMMISSION. NONETHELESS, EC EXPORTERS WERE ASKING WHETHER THEY SHOULD FOLLOW THE CODE NUMBER LISTING IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER. WE ADVISED HIM THAT THE EXPORTERS SHOULD FOLLOW THE PRACTICES OF THE COMMISSION WITH RESPECT TO CODE NUMBERS. WE ALSO TOLD HIM THAT WE WOULD ADVISE WASHINGTON OF THE ERROR IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER.

3. FOOTNOTE 3 TO APPENDIX I OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED NOTICE IN UNCLASSIFIED

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THE FEDERAL REGISTER STATES THAT CODE NUMBERS 5120-86 AND

5120-91 APPLY TO CAMEMBERT, BRIE AND LIMBURGER CHEESES ALL
CONTAIN WELL OVER 62 PERCENT WATER CONTENT (BY WEIGHT, OF NON
FATTY MATTER), THUS, THEY WOULD NOT FALL IN THE CATEGORY
TO WHICH THE ABOVE CODE NUMBERS APPLY. THEY ARE NOT, AND HAVE
NEVER BEEN GRANTED EXPORT SUBSIDIES. PORT SALUT, ON THE OTHR
HAND, IS A PARTICULAR BRAND NAME FOR SAINT PAULIN CHEESE,
WHICH IS SUBSIDIZED BUT WHICH IS ASSIGNED THE CODE NUMBER 5120-54.
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